

NIDDK Intramural Researcher Biosketch

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Position Title: Ph.D.

Lab/Branch: Laboratory of Genetics and Physiology

Intramural Professional Designation: Staff Scientist

A. Education/Training

| INSTITUTION AND LOCATION | DEGREE (if applicable) | YEAR(s) | FIELD OF STUDY |
|---|---------------------------|-----------|----------------|
| Agricultural University Vienna, Austria | Diploma | 1973 | Microbiology |
| University of Salzburg, Austria | Doctorate | 1981 | Genetics |
| NIH/NCI and NIDDK | Postdoctorate | 1983-1986 | Genetics |

B. Positions and Honors

Institute of Molecular Biology, Austrian Academy of Sciences, Salzburg
Group Leader 1986 – 1989

National Institute of Child Health and Human Development
Senior Research Fellow, National Research Council 1990 - 1993

National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases
Senior Staff Fellow, Developmental Biology Section 1993 - 1997

National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases
Staff Scientist, Laboratory of Genetics and Physiology 1997 - present

- International Fogarty Fellowship (1983 - 1984)
- National Research Council Senior Fellowship (1990 - 1993)
- Study Section, Department of Defense Breast Cancer Program (1999, 2000)
- Editorial Board, Breast Cancer Research (1999-present)
- Review papers for Genes and Development, Development, Endocrinology, Molecular Endocrinology, Molecular and Cellular Biology, Cancer Research

C. Annual Report Titles.

Genetic approaches to understanding organ development

D. Selected peer-reviewed publications or manuscripts in press (out of 50 total)

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- Hennighausen, L. and **Robinson**, G.W. (1998) Think globally, act locally: the making of a mouse mammary gland. *Genes & Dev* 12, 449-455.
- **Robinson**, G.W., Johnson, P.F., Hennighausen, L. and Sterneck, E. (1998) The C/EBP β transcription factor regulates epithelial cell proliferation and differentiation in the mammary gland. *Genes & Dev* 12, 1907-1916.
- **Robinson**, G.W. and Hennighausen, L. (1997) Inhibins and activins regulate mammary epithelial cell differentiation through mesenchymal-epithelial interactions. *Development* 124, 2701-2708.
- Hennighausen, L., **Robinson**, G.W., Wagner, K.-U., Liu, X. (1997) Prolactin signaling in mammary gland development. *J Biol Chem* 272, 7567-7569.
- **Robinson**, G.W., Smith, G.H., Gallahan, D., Zimmer, A., Furth, P., Hennighausen, L. (1996) Understanding mammary gland development through the imbalanced expression of growth regulators. *Dev Dyn* 206, 159-168.
- **Robinson**, G.W., McKnight, R.A., Smith, G.H. and Hennighausen, L. (1995) Mammary epithelial cells undergo differentiation in cycling virgins but require pregnancy for the establishment of terminal differentiation. *Development* 121, 2079-2090.
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